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**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN
APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)**

Title of Invention **VACCINIA TOPOISOMERASE I-BASED ASSAY FOR DETECTION OF SPECIFIC
DNA BREAKS**

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

The declaration is directed to:

☐ The attached application, or

☒ Application No. 10/068,065, filed on 02/06/2002,

☐ as amended on _____ (if applicable).

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

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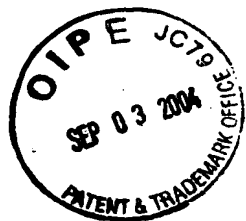
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Application Data Sheet

Application Information

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